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Peripherals

The success of the ZX Spectrum has led to more and more exciting ways to extend your computer's capabilities.

Your ZX Spectrum is the heart of a complete, powerful computer system . . . as you grow more proficient, your system keeps up.

Today, no other computer offers such remarkable value for such innovative products.

And in the future? More ZX hardware is on the way to make your system more adaptable, more enjoyable!

ZX Printer- available now

The ZX Printer is designed exclusively for use with the Sinclair ZX range of computers.

So now, you can have a permanent record of all your programs. You can write and edit them easily. And of course you can print out your results for other ZX owners.

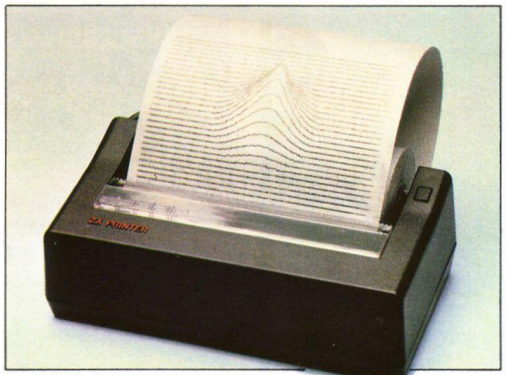
The printer offers the full ASCII character set - including lower-case characters *and* high-resolution graphics.

A special feature is COPY which prints out exactly what is on the whole TV screen without further instructions.

Printing speed is 50 characters per second, with 32 charcaters per line and 9 lines per vertical inch.

The Zx Printer connects to the rear of your ZX Spectrum. A roll of paper (65 ft long and 4 in wide) is supplied, along with full instructions. Further supplies of paper are available in packs of five rolls.

Price: £39.95.



To order your software, simply use the form at the back of this catalogue. (And if you're a 16K Spectrum owner, look out for a very special offer!)

Happy LOADing!

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Business/household

As well as being entertaining and educational, your Spectrum is also valuable for business and household management.

Whether you wish to organise your accounts, lists and budget sheets, or simply keep track of your stamp collection, your Spectrum can do the job.

All programs in this range have exceptional data-handling capabilities.

And remember - all your figures and results are easily stored and saved for future weeks.

VU-CALC (B1/S)
A calculator with a difference!

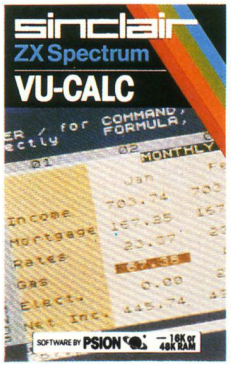
VU-CALC is a sophisticated program that calculates and displays a complete table or array of numbers, rather than just one figure.

You start with an empty grid of boxes arranged in rows and columns. Enter data or names into particular boxes.

A few simple instructions and your Spectrum links one box, row or column to another - the whole table is calculated in seconds.

An immensley powerful tool - ideal for financial analysis, budgets, scientific tables, statistics - in fact any application where you need complex problems solved - fast.

Full-colour high-resolution graphics.
Written by Psion for a 16K or 48K RAM Spectrum.
Cassette price: £8.95.



VU-FILE (With Gazetteer) (B2/S)
Buried by paperwork? Let your Spectrum take the strain.

VU-FILE can store information easily and compactly, and order, sequence, search and list files very rapidly.

Each record you keep appears as one page on the screen. Individual items of each page are structured by you - in terms of their numbers and contents.

An invaluable program for names and addresses, catalogues, diaries, accounts - lists of all kinds.

Gazetteer
Gazetteer (a geographical dictionary) demonstrates the many applications of VU-FILE.

It lists essential information for every country in the world (48K Spectrum) or Europe (16K Spectrum).

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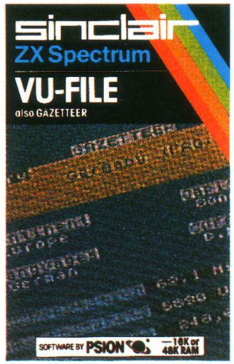


VU-3D (B3/S)
One of the most absorbing programs you'll ever see on your Spectrum - and you'll play a major part in it!

Use the computer keyboard to outline an object.

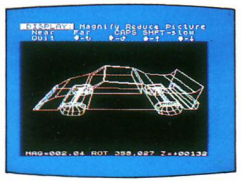
Magnify or reduce the image, add a percentage of depth.

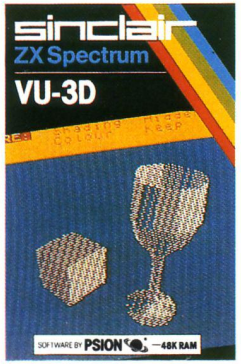
Then touch a key - you're in a different mode - rotating *your* shape through any angle you like.

Touch another key - you're in 'Picture' mode. Choose to take out hidden lines or have computer shading from the light source you select.

Adds a third dimension to your Spectrum!

Full-colour high-resolution graphics.
Written by Psion for a 48K RAM Spectrum.
Cassette price: £9.95.





Small Business Accounts (B6/S)
Whatever your business, keeping your accounts in order is often a time consuming and unwieldy operation.

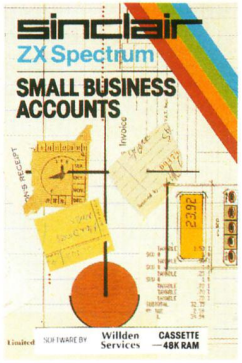
Help is at hand! This clear and concise program is specially designed to relieve you of the accounting burden.

It will produce not only essential Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss information, but also VAT returns. An invaluable program for all small businesses.

A free User manual is supplied with your cassette.

Written by Willden Services for a 48K RAM Spectrum.

Bosed cassette with full documentation, price: £12.95.



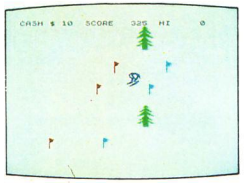
Horace goes Skiing (G21/S)
Now take to the ski-slopes with Horace!

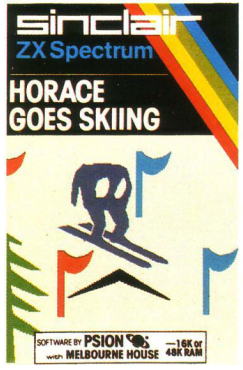
First, Horace must hire skis. And that means you must get him across the busy road to the ski hut. Mind the traffic - if Horace is knocked down, you'll have to pay ambulance fees! Lead Horace back across the road... onto the slopes!

Ski downhill, avoid the trees, and slalom between flags. If you miss flags, you'll lose points. If you crash, navigate the road again for more skis!

An outstanding game with sound effects.

Full-colour high-resolution graphics with sound.
Written by Psion, with Melbourne House, for a 16K or 48K RAM Spectrum.
Cassette price: £5.95.





Horace and the Spiders (G24/S)
Horace is in trouble again! Steel your nerves and help him deal with the eight-legged creepy-crawlies!

Guide Horace on the hazardous journey to the cobwebbed house full of poisonous spiders.

Watch they don't catch you en route - Horace only has a little anti-spider bite serum with him!

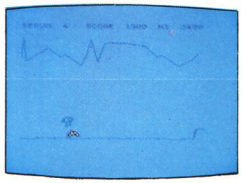
Safely in the house, you must move along cobwebs, choose a spot ...and jump on it! In an instant, Horace makes a hole in the web. The spiders will be in a frenzy - scuttling to repair their precious web.

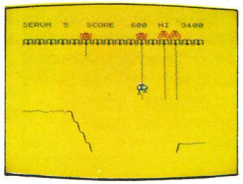
The more damage you do, the busier they'll be. And when a spider is occupied spinning a new section, you're safe to attack and destroy it!

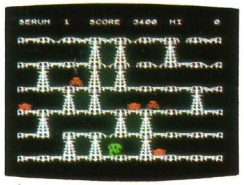
Kill all the spiders, and a new web appears... with even more spiders to catch.

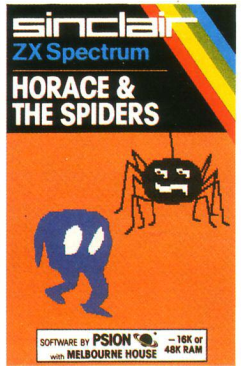
An amusing, colourful game with everyone's favourite cartoon character - Horace.

Full-colour high-resolution graphics.
Written by Psion, with Melbourne House, for a 16K or 48K RAM Spectrum.
Cassette price: £5.95.









Education

Each cassette in this range gives you a 'menu' to choose from.

That means you can let the computer ask about an event, an inventor, or a town, while you choose the answer from a list of six options. And there's a whole combination of other categories!

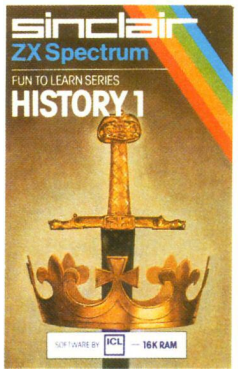
Play by yourself, or with your friends. Questions can be answered in rotation by up to 4 players - the Spectrum shows your scores on a chart!

History 1 (E1/S)
Give your Spectrum a history lesson and test *your* knowledge at the same time!

The computer will organise a competition in the form of a race.

Up to 4 players answer questions in rotation. There are a wide selection too - British history and Monarchs from 1066 right up to the present day!

Full-colour graphics.
Written by ICL for a 16K or 48K RAM Spectrum.
Cassette price: £6.95.



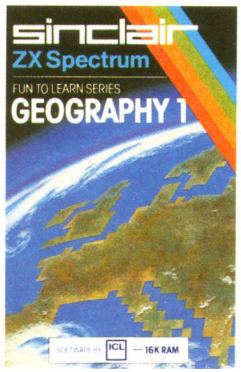
Geography 1 (E2/S)
Why should learning countries and capitals be a dreary business?

Geography 1 has two categories to choose from - towns in England and Wales and countries and capitals of Europe.

And the program does more than just reel off answers - it *shows* you just where the location is, *then* gives you a choice of 6 answers.

So you'll see a detailed computer map of England or Europe, with a location marked on one or the other - then it's over to you to identify it!

Full-colour graphics.
Written by ICL for a 16K or 48K RAM Spectrum.
Cassette price: £6.95.



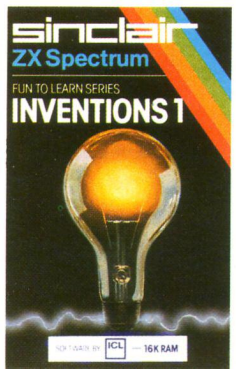
Inventions 1 (E3/S)
If you take today's appliances for granted, Inventions is the program for you!

You'll be amazed and surprised at how recent some innovations are, and how long ago others had their beginnings!

And of course, no inventions program is complete without inventors - try matching them with their handiwork.

Up to 4 players can answer questions in this program!

Full-colour graphics.
Written by ICL for a 16K or 48K RAM Spectrum.
Cassette price: £6.95.

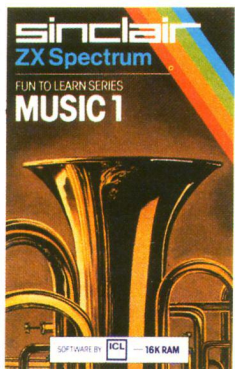


Music 1 (E4/S)
An informative program that takes you from instrument to musician, through to the composer of the piece.

Choose classical or opera - then pick from 6 categories of questions.

Up to 4 players answer questions in rotation. A program where you need a good memory, rather than a good ear, for music!

Full-colour graphics.
Written by ICL for a 16K or 48K RAM Spectrum.
Cassette price: £6.95.



Embassy Assault (G20/S)
As the nation's top agent, you face a challenging, urgent mission.

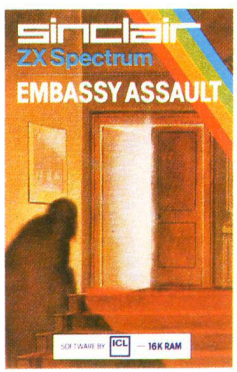
Your job is to acquire top-secret codes from the strongroom of a foreign embassy.

There's one snag: the detailed layout of the embassy is unknown. So the success of the mission depends on your instincts and speed.

With the help of your compass, you ascend or descend stairs, pass through doors... seek out the code room where the documents are held. Then retrace your steps to leave the embassy - as quickly as possible!

If you find the embassy layout really baffling, examine the maps on each floor. But remember - you're wasting precious seconds!

Full-colour high-resolution graphics.
Written by ICL for a 16K or 48K RAM Spectrum.
Cassette price: £4.95.



The Hobbit (G19/S)
A totally unique program based on the brilliant children's book by J.R.R. Tolkien.

You are Bilbo the hobbit, exploring and discovering the enchanted fantasy land of Middle- Earth. You must seek out the trasure the evil Dragon hoards and return it to your home.

Every step of the way you face danger, adventure and excitement! And each scene is presented to you in words and colourful, highly-detailed graphics.

You'll meet all your favourite Tolkien chracters, Gandalf and Thorin included... and some you *won't* favour at all - Wargs, Wood Elves and vicious Goblins to name just a few!

Amazing as it sounds, all these characters have an independent life of their own! All can make decisions and act on them. All react not only to what you do, but also to every other creature in The Hobbit!

Some will talk to you. You can certainly put questions to them, even suggest what you would like them to do!

That's what makes The Hobbit so special - every time you play, the adventure is different, because while you're travelling or waiting, every other creature will be doing it's own thing!

Since the program closely follows the plot of the Hobbit book, you'll receive a *free* copy with your cassette.

Your Hobbit program offers advanced features and sophisticated communications not previously thought possible on a microcomputer: adjectives, adverbs, multiple sentences - all in all, a super-program that's a milestone in computer software.

Full-colour high-resolution graphics.
Written by Psion, with Melbourne House, in fast-action machine code for a 48K RAM Spectrum.

Boxed cassette with full documentation, price: £14.95.